

House Resolution 753

By: Representatives Collins of the 27th, Mills of the 25th, Rogers of the 26th, and Benton of the 31st

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating the Gainesville Church of God on its 75th anniversary; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Gainesville Church of God was organized and chartered in 1932 with the
4 Reverend Lex J. Justus as its first pastor and has grown in spirit and in the community for
5 75 years; and

6 WHEREAS, the church was organized with eight dedicated and faithful men and women of
7 the Lord; and

8 WHEREAS, the church facility has grown from a humble wooden building on High Street
9 to a renovated hospital building on Atlanta Highway to its current home of three decades, a
10 modern worship center on Browns Bridge Road west of Gainesville; and

11 WHEREAS, the Gainesville Church of God has been ably served by 31 pastors in its storied
12 history known for their heartfelt harmony, powerful spirited preaching, and fostering a loving
13 fellowship of Christ followers; and

14 WHEREAS, the church, relying on the teachings of Matthew 16:18 and Psalm 1:3, has
15 grown in membership and its sphere of community missions, supporting Gideons
16 International and other world missions.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
18 the members of this body heartily congratulate the members of the Gainesville Church of
19 God on the 75th anniversary of the church.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
21 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Gainesville Church of
22 God.